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Our Daily Bread

Sliced Thin by The Editor

ALEX. H. WASHBURN

Where Water Flows to the Sea

Arkansas Like the Piedmont Region

Today's Star carries an exchange of letters between Congressmen Harris and Ellis regarding the latter's proposed Arkansas Valley Authority, which would include the Narrows power dam and reservoir on the Little Missouri river in our own territory.

The march of events on the international front has obscured domestic issues recently, but this hydro-power development must remain No. 1 among domestic issues to be considered over a long span of time. For there is a certain geographical resemblance between Arkansas and the industrial Piedmont region of the Carolinas which is highly suggestive.

Back in 1926 the late Luther Ellison, secretary of Camden Chamber of Commerce, sponsored an Industrial excursion of Arkansans to the Carolinas, where we studied cotton mills, furniture factories, and, incidentally, North Carolina's magnificent system of concrete highways. (Governor-Elect John E. Martineau was a member of the tour, and he was then putting together the first draft of the legislation which was to lay the foundation of Arkansas' present gaso-line-tax-supported system of good roads.)

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Recovery of sailors caps and bits of lifeboat wreckage bearing the name of the *Gallant*, Gayda said in his newspaper, indicated the destroyer was sunk in an attack January 10.

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The Four Communities

The Columbus group planted 912 acres to cotton in 1940. Seed stock is maintained by certain members purchasing registered seed annually.

Other growers are supplied first and second year seed from increase at reasonable rates. The group will reorganize and transact other business Wednesday morning at 9:30 at Columbus. New members will be accepted.

Other communities holding meetings Wednesday are:

Washington at 1:30
Blevins at 3:30
Patmos at 7 p.m.

Chairmen of these meetings are: A. N. Stroud at Washington, L. J. Brown at Blevins and W. H. Allison at Patmos. The Blevins and Patmos meetings will be in the vocational agriculture buildings. The county agent will advise with any other groups interested in cotton improvement on request.

The Program

The objects as set forth in recommended by-laws for improvement groups are:

(a) To standardize production by growing only one superior variety of cotton that is best adapted to our local conditions from the standpoint of yield, length, uniformity, and character of staple, market demand, and net returns to the growers.

(b) To secure marketing advantages for this cotton by maintaining its production year after year so that large, even-running lots of fiber of the same quality may be made regularly available to the trade.

(c) To establish and maintain conditions of production that are necessary to preserve the quality of fiber and purity of the planting seed.

(d) To produce and make available to growers in the community, from year to year, pure planting seed at a minimum cost.

(e) To adopt improved methods of

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Further Plans on Hope Armory

Weisenberger Writes Letter to County Judge

The following letter regarding the status of the proposed Hope armory has been written to Fred Luck, Hempstead county judge, by Rep. R. J. Weisenberger:

January 13, 1941

Hon. Fred Luck
County Judge
Hope, Arkansas

Dear Fred:

Perhaps you know the effort that Mr. Washburn and I have made in the past to obtain the armory for the National Guard unit at Hope. Our efforts have been of no avail in the past but it seems now that the hammering we have done, which began in the 1939 session of the Legislature, is about to bear fruit.

I was talking with Major Pat Harris this morning and he confirms the report in the Hope press that Hope is next in line for an armory to be built by the State with WPA aid. He mentioned to me the necessity of our immediately working on the proposal.

It had been my idea, and in this Mr. Washburn and Mr. Bowen of the Chamber of Commerce, together with Captain Duffey of the National Guard unit, that the Armory should be built on the block owned by the county west of the courthouse. This would necessitate the county deeding the property to the State and the removal thereof ultimately of the sewing room building which is now there.

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What's in a Name?

Shakespeare once asked that question (Romeo and Juliet), and gave a plausible answer. Here are some questions about names for which you can seek plausible answers. What have each pair of these men in common besides the sound of their names?

1. Jack Benny and Robert Benchley.
2. Giovanni Bellini and Benvenuto Cellini.

3. Admiral Robert E. Peary and Sir William E. Parry.

4. Maurice Ravel and Jean B. Brevet.

5. Walt Whitman and John Greenleaf Whittier.

Answers on Concluding Page

CRANIUM
CRACKERS

Axis Bombers Score Hits on British Convoy

Three Battleships Damaged When Escorting Convoy to Greece

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Torpedo and bomb attacks, according to Italian claims, have sunk or damaged five "enemy" vessels and Gayda said they were in a double convoy, one part headed for Greece and the other for Alexandria, Egypt.

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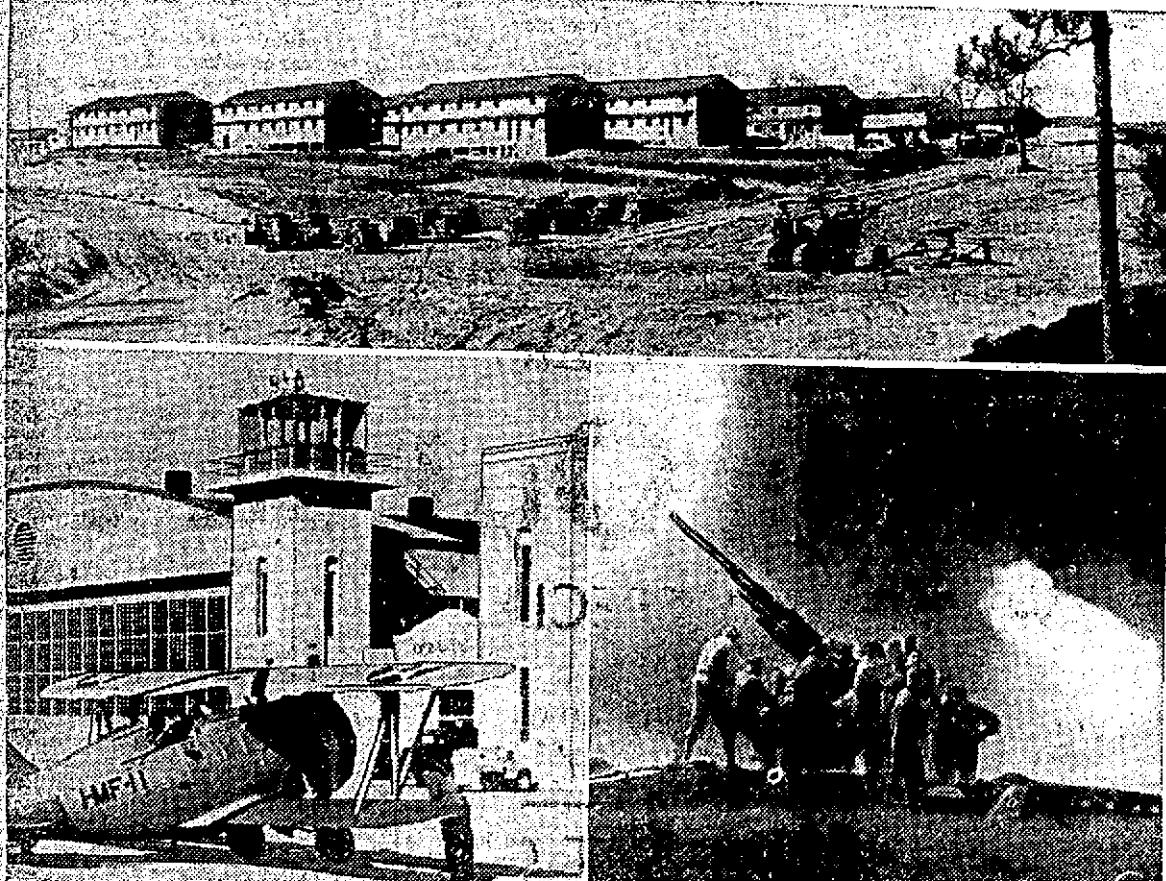
The World's News as Told in Pictures

No Foreign War Committee's Chairman With His Family



Verne Marshall, chairman of the No Foreign War Committee, pictured in a holiday gathering with his family at his Cedar Rapids, Ia., home. Left to right, front: Jeanne, 10; John Randolph, 4; Marie Louise, 7; Barbara, 20; Mrs. Marshall. Rear row: Patricia, 18; Frances, 14; and Mr. Marshall.

Army—Not Oil or Gold—Made This "Boom" Town



Bustling activity and a growth that can be noted daily give all the aspects of an oldtime oil or gold rush "boom" town to Fort Bragg, N. C., where thousands of new troops will be trained. Nestling in the foothills near Fayetteville, it used to be a military post of some 5000 men. In six months it has accumulated a population of 46,000 men—22,000 soldiers and 24,000 workmen now erecting the 2478 new structures needed for its eventual population of 67,000. Fort Bragg scenes above show, at top, some of the new barracks, each to house 60 or 70 men; left, below, an Ohio National Guard plane at Pope Field, the Fort Bragg airport; right, below, two field pieces in night practice.

The Touch of Genius



Only eight years old, Kenneth Amada, of South Orange, N. J., was hailed as a piano genius after repeated curtain calls followed his recent debut in New York's Carnegie Hall. He gave a concert in honor of Moritz Rosenthal, who is pictured watching him play. Pupil of Franz Liszt, Rosenthal was himself a child prodigy. He declares the boy to be "one of the rare cases." Kenneth speaks four languages, has a one-in-a-million I. Q. rating of 170 to 190.

Reassures U. S. On Aluminum



Faced with possible shortages of aluminum, defense commissioner Edward R. Stettinius, Jr., promised that there would be ample produced for defense needs. He's pictured above in Washington, pointing to chart showing how potential capacity of aluminum industry exceeds defense demands.

Time Out



Theoretically, time stood still when German bombs smashed the building pictured above. It is England's famed Greenwich Observatory, on the International Date Line, from which the world's time is reckoned.

Modernized Hungarian Army Rolls Into the War Scene



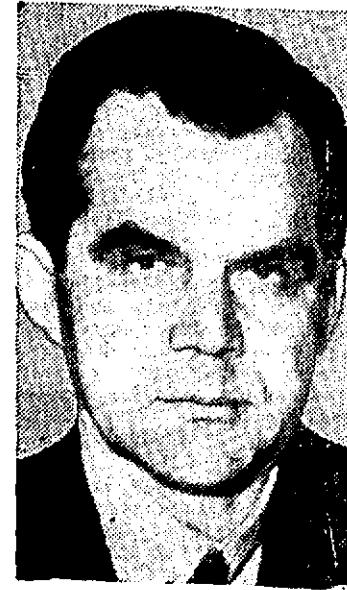
Hungary, Germany's ally of the last World War, was strangely out of 1940's news. Her army at war's outset was poorly armed, for up to five years ago Hungary had no modern equipment. Now, as this exclusive picture shows, the situation is radically changed. Here are some units of Hungary's ultra-modern panzer-car regiments, pictured on recent maneuvers. Many observers believe they may be used to protect Germany's flank, should Hitler move deeper into the Balkans.

Rough Going for Hitler's Hornets



A flotilla of motor torpedo boats, angrily buzzing hornets of the German navy, finds rough going as a winter wind lashes the surface to suds and huge waves smash over the bows. According to Berlin-censored caption, the ships are "speeding to meet the enemy."

Banker Is Named Finnish Premier



Johan Wilhelm Rangell, above, head of the Bank of Finland, was named Premier in the new cabinet formed by President Risto Ryti.

Stars Sail for London Blackout



"We know that London is not the safest place in the world, but it is still our home and that's where we want to be," said British actor Laurence Olivier and his English actress wife Vivien (Scarlett) O'Hara Leigh when, as pictured above, they recently set sail from New York on first leg of trip home. Olivier will offer his services "in any capacity" to the British government.

An Italian in Greece



That's no theatrical costume on the warrior at the right. A member of the crack Greek Evzone troops, he's questioning a captured Italian soldier at a prison camp in Greece. Judging by the prisoner's smile, he's happy that the war's over for him.

Desert "Lifeline" on Wheels



Literally a "lifeline" is the string of tank cars seen in the photo above, for the tanks contain water, destined for Australian troops camps near the railroad in the current campaign against the Italians. In foreground is pumping station, 15 miles from the Nile, which feeds subsidiary stations throughout the desert.

SOCIETY

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Social Calendar

Tuesday, January 14th
John Calm chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, luncheon at the Barlow, 12:45. Mrs. B. M. LaGrone Sr., Mrs. LaGrone Jr., and Mrs. S. E. Gilliam of El Dorado, hostesses. Mrs. R. L. Searey of Lewisville will be in charge of the program and the D. A. R. representatives from the Hope, Lewisville, and Fulton high schools will be the guests.

Tuesday Contract Bridge club, home of Mrs. Paul Jones, 2:30.

Girl Scout Troop No. 2, meet at the "Little House" immediately after school with the leader, Mrs. J. O. Milam.

Business and Professional Women's club, monthly dinner meeting at the Barlow, 7 p. m.

Oglesby Parent Teachers Association, the school, 3 o'clock. Mrs. Henry Haynes will be the program leader.

Euzebium class of First Baptist church, monthly social meeting at the home of Mrs. Jimmy Miller with Mrs. E. S. Coleman as state hostess, 7:30 p. m.

Popular Grove No. 196, of the Woodman circle, the Woodman

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Friday, 7:30 p. m. All members are urged to attend.

Althean class of the First Baptist Sunday school, monthly social meeting, home of Mrs. H. E. Thrash, 7:30 p. m.

"Seven and One" club, home of Miss Mary Delta Carrigan, 7:30 p. m.

Thursday, January 16th
No. 328, Order of the Eastern Star, the Masonic hall, 7:30 p. m.

Thursday Contract Bridge club, home of Mrs. Lila Moore, 2:30 o'clock.

Lilac Garden club, home of Mrs. Tom McLarty with Mrs. Edgar Briant co-hostess, 3 o'clock.

Friday, January 17th
The Gardenia Garden club, home of Mrs. R. V. Herndon Sr., with Mrs. R. V. Herndon associate hostess, 9:30 a. m.

Friday Contract Bridge club, Dutch luncheon at the Barlow, with the regular games being played at the home of Mrs. Floyd Portfield.

Tuesday Contract Club Has Luncheon Meeting at the Barlow

Mrs. R. D. Franklin was hostess to the members of the Tuesday Contract Bridge club on Tuesday before the members adjourned to go to Dutch luncheon at the Barlow.

Seated around the circular luncheon table were the following club members: Mrs. R. V. Herndon Sr., Mrs. E. P. Stewart, Mrs. L. W. Young, Mrs. Kline, Snyder, Mrs. A. J. Neighbors, Mrs. Tom McLarty, Mrs. John Guthrie, Mrs. C. C. Lewis of Prescott, and Mrs. R. D. Franklin. A beautiful antique crystal bowl centered the table. It contained an artistic arrangement of white carnations surrounded by delicate ferns.

The home of Mrs. Franklin was decorated with a variety of flowers and two tables were arranged for the games.

During the afternoon all of the guests assisted in packing the Red Cross garments, which are being sent back.

First Methodist W. S. C. S. Meets On Monday at the Church

The W. M. S. of the First Methodist church met in the regular session on Monday, January 13, with Mrs. Henry Hitt, the president presiding. The opening song was "Near the Cross," and it was followed by the business period. At this time extensive reports from each committee and department were made.

Outstanding was the treasurers report, for it contained the good news that all of the pledges had been paid in full and a number were overpaid.

Mrs. Henry Hitt gave a report of the District Missionary conference held recently in Prescott. The worship program was in the form of helpful scripture readings for the new Year.

The New Year's message was brought to the group by Mrs. John Arnold. Following was the hymn "Faith of Our Fathers Lingered Still" by the group.

Mrs. Linus Walker closed the meeting with prayer.

Little Miss Anna Lou Cunningham Is Fed on Fifth Birthday

Little Miss Anna Lou Cunningham entertained a group of her little friends Friday afternoon, January 10 at the home of her parents on West fifth street, the occasion being her 5th birthday.

After an afternoon of playing games and picture taking, refreshments were served to the following: Janice Purdie, Jerry Merritt, Thomas and Jessie Duckett, Joe Barry Warren, Linda Joe Franks, Kelly and Allie Mae Marlar, Mary Sue Powers, Martha James, Sue and Sonny Willis, Carol Ann Garrett, Dorsey Andrew Collins, Steve Marlar, Buddy Briteman, and J. W. Cunningham.

Personal Mention

Hope friends of Miss Elizabeth Bernier of Little Rock have received invitations to attend her wedding on Sunday afternoon at the home of her aunt and uncle, Judge and Mrs. Gus Fulk, in Little Rock. The groom-to-be is Charles Tarlton of Little Rock and Warren.

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J. T. Bowden Jr., of Monticello is a visitor in the city.

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The Rev. M. A. Nelson, the Rev. J. P. Garmong, and the Rev. P. C. Nelson

SERIAL STORY

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YESTERDAY: Sunday began for Martha to clean out. Martha surveys the wreckage of her friendship with Paul, realizes the torture he has undergone. But she is urged to stop understanding him, to make him understand their friendship is ended.

S-O-S TO BILL MARSHALL

CHAPTER VIII

AT 5 o'clock that day, Martha Marshall was still enmeshed in the coils of her inner problem. How could she indicate to Paul Elliott, without hurting him, and yet without letting him know the real reason, that she preferred not to go out with him any more?

Paul opened the door to his office, and Martha seized her powder puff hastily.

"Ready to leave, Martha?" he called. "Wait a minute, I'll be right with you."

She stealed herself. She looked up at him. "Don't bother about me, Paul," she managed to say. "I—I don't feel awfully well. I want to go right home and get in bed."

He was all concern, immediately. She wanted to kick herself. She should have told him some story of being expected somewhere . . . catching a store before it closed . . . anything.

"I'm all right," she repeated tonelessly. "Just a headache." The phone in his office rang. "There's your phone." She got up and slipped out while he was still talking.

THE next morning she avoided his eyes, was thankful when he had to go down to the production department to straighten out a tangle. It might take all day.

But at quitting time, he was back in the office.

"Feel like some chow mein?"

"No, I—I'm going home and eat Butch some hamburger. I've got a lot to do. I'm awfully tired."

His face fell. "I was looking forward to it. After all, there's no one waiting for you."

"There's Butch."

"Suppose we stop off and buy the hamburger, you fry it while I walk Butch, and then—"

Martha averted her head, pretending to fish out the eraser and the pencils from under the legs of her typewriter. "No, Paul. That's why not?"

"No!" This time, her voice was sharp. Paul stared at her, his thick dark eyebrows a straight line over his brown eyes.

SHE walked home. A long walk, with her head high and chin up. She hoped there'd be a letter from Bill waiting in the box. But

Bill was the only one who could count. He had never dreamed of such a thing. She held to that, desperately. That Bill had trusted her, that he'd trusted Paul. He

books we mean to read. Just meaning to satisfy us—for there is our old excuse with which to ease a nagging conscience.

We'll never do all we could do—or should do—unless we refuse to excuse ourselves for our laziness on the grounds that we "just haven't time."

HIGHLIGHTS FROM LATEST BOOKS

American Sailing Through the Years Pictured by Church

American fishing goes back a long way—before the Pilgrims, in fact—but not too far for Albert Cook Church when he gets the idea for a new book. And Mr. Church has a new book—one of the most graphic and absorbing, pictorially, of the year—"American Fishermen" (W. W. Norton: \$2.75).

If you remember Mr. Church's

"Whale Ships and Whaling," you have some idea of his interest in the sea and ships. Mr. Church lives in New Bedford ("That She Blows"), has been taking marine pictures for most of 60 years. The result is an uncommonly good collection, the best examples of which he seems to have put into "American Fishermen," James B. Connolly, who does for the sea in words what Mr. Church does in pictures and who has just written "The Port of Gloucester," contributes a salty running account to the volume.

There is the old friend we haven't even telephoned to in six months. "I'll do that," we tell ourselves. But before we reach that old standby of an alibi, "I just don't have time."

Things That Lazy Folk Miss

There is the secret little ambition we have been nourishing for so long. There is a class we want to take that meets one night a week. We really could take it if we had the ambition, but it is easier to say, "I just don't see how I can manage. I have so little time."

There is the letter of congratulations we never found time to write, the note of thanks that was only a good intention, that little act of kindness that gave us so much pleasure to think about, but gave no one else any pleasure because we never found time to carry it out.

There is the hard truth the mirror tells us. We don't look as well as we know we could if only we took the time to be always well-groomed. But it is easy to forgive ourselves for making less of our looks than we could. "It just takes too much time," we say.

Take the Thought for the Deed

And, of course, there are all those

son all of Enid, Oklahoma, who are in the city to attend the Assemblies of God Conference, are guests in the home of Mrs. C. C. Parker and sons.

Among the Hope people who plan to be present in a Shreveport theater on Wednesday night, January 15, when the curtain comes up on "The Philadelphia Story" starring Katharine Hepburn, are Mrs. Lloyd Spencer, Mrs. Terrel Cornelius, Mrs. Frank Nolen, Mrs. E. C. McWilliams, Mrs. Max Cox, Miss Dusky Doolittle, Mrs. Louise Hanegan, Walter Bone, Leeland Dauges, Dr. A. L. Hardage, Miss Harriet Pritchard, Luther Holloman, William Robertson, Mrs. Dick Forster, and Mrs. W. J. Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. Dorsey McRae Jr., had as Sunday guests Miss Elizabeth Bernier, Gus Bernier Sr., Gus Bernier Jr., Mrs. Gus Fulk, and Charles Tarlton.

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Columbus Loses to Emmet Boys

Nevada Cage Team Revenges Earlier Defeat

Emmet's senior boys' cage team revenged themselves of the 23 to 20 defeat handed them by a Tiger's five early in December on their home court by swamping the crippled Columbus quintet on the Cats' court,



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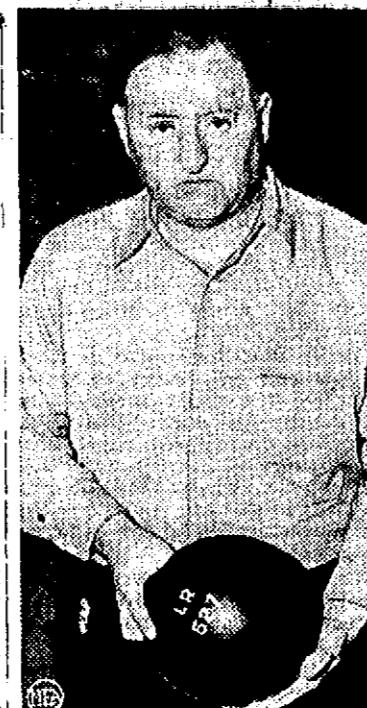
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By FREDDIE FISCHER
World All-Events Champion



Freddie Fischer shows relaxed posture, grip on ball.

is the first principle of correct bowling. If at all possible, the bowler should possess a ball bored to his particular needs.

If he feels he cannot own his own ball, he should at least make an effort to use one which fits his hand and grip.

Perhaps the most important thing is not to select a ball yourself. Men who have had long experience will be able to fit your needs much better than you can hope to.

Some have slender hands and long fingers. Others have broad hands and stubby fingers.

Fischer Switches From Two-

Hole Ball

For many years I used a two-hole ball, until my middle finger began to show the strain. I switched to a three-hole ball without difficulty.

There are no hard and fast rules to follow, but if your middle finger is not sufficiently strong, I would advise the use of the three-hole ball.

There are three considerations which are important in selection—the span, size of holes and pitch.

Pitch must be correct to fit your hand, or it will be impossible to hold and deliver the ball easily. The holes must be of just the right size to allow the thumb and fingers to slip out freely at the moment of release without being too loose.

Delivery Depends on Proper

Pitch

Pitch assumes importance at the moment of release. If the pitch is not sharp enough, the bowler may have a tendency to grip the ball too tightly, holding on to it too long at the delivery.

I use a ball with a 1-16 "in" pitch on the finger holes and a 1-16 "out" pitch on the thumb hole. Most bowl-

Friday night, by the top-heavy score of 46 to 25.

In this second encounter between the two clubs, the slipping Tigers did not have the services of three of their regulars—Captain Calvin Caldwell and Ervin Pardue, now stationed at Camp Joe, T. Robinson, were out of the lineup, as was Center Dale Caldwell who was on the sick list at the time. Leman Edwards, another regular, failed to show up for the game.

The Emmet boys stayed out in front from the initial whistle until the final, leading 23 to 8 at the end of the first half. Center Arnel, six foot three inches in height, proved too much for the Hempstead county lads, hitting the basket for 14 points. Calvin Caldwell for Columbus was in runner-up place with 11.

In a preliminary game the junior boys from Nevada county downed the Columbus Kittens to the tune of 18 to 10, with Ellis tossing 13 counters for the visitors.

The third and final game of the evening saw the Lady Tigers turn back the Emmet sextet 31 to 24, with Forward Stou of the winners hitting the loop for 20 pointers. Hill for the visitors took runner-up honors, scoring 10 points.

BOWLING

Tuesday, January 14
M'System—Ritchie Gro. Co.

Basket Co.—Woodman of World.

Thursday, January 16
Hempstead Co. Lbr. Co.—Brook-

wood Gro. Kiwanis Club—American Legion.

Friday, January 17
SCS—Kraft Cheese.

Life & Casualty—Rotary.

Monday, January 20
Gunter Bros.—M'System.

Bruner Ivory—Basket Co.

Tuesday, January 21
Standard Oil Co.—Ritchie Gro. Co.

Geo. W. Robison—Woodman of

World.

Thursday, January 23
Kiwanis Club—Life & Casualty.

Hempstead Co. Lbr. Co.—SCS.

Friday, January 24
Brookwood Gro. — Kraft Cheese.

American Legion—Rotary.

Monday, January 27
Bruner Ivory—M'System.

Gunter Bros.—Basket Co.

Tuesday, January 28
Standard Oil Co.—Woodman of

World.

Geo. W. Robison Co.—Ritchie Gro.

Co.

Thursday, January 30
Hempstead Co. Lbr. Co.—Life &

Casualty.

Kiwanis Club—SCS.

Friday, January 31
Brookwood Gro.—Rotary.

American Legion—Kraft Cheese.

Monday, February 3
Gunter Bros.—Craft Cheese.

Bruner Ivory—Ritchie Gro. Co.

Tuesday, February 4
Standard Oil Co.—Kiwanis Club.

Geo. W. Robison Co.—Life &

Casualty.

Thursday, February 6
M'System—Brookwood Grocery.

Basket Co.—Rotary.

Friday, February 7
American Legion—SCS.

Woodman of World—Hempstead Co.

Lbr. Co.

Monday, February 10
Bruner Ivory—Woodman of World.

Gunter Bros.—Life & Casualty.

Tuesday, February 11
Standard Oil—American Legion.

Geo. W. Robison Co.—SCS.

Thursday, February 13
Basket Co.—Brookwood Gro.

M'System—Kraft Cheese.

Friday, February 14
Ritchie Gro. Co.—Hempstead Co.

Lbr. Co.

Kiwanis Club—Rotary.

Monday, February 17
Gunter Bros. Kiwanis.

Bruner Ivory—Hempstead Co. Lbr.

Co.

Tuesday, February 18
Geo. W. Robison Co.—Rotary.

Standard Oil Co.—Brookwood.

Thursday, February 20
M'System—SCS.

Basket Co.—American Legion.

Friday, February 21
Woodman of World—Kraft Cheese.

Ritchie Gro. Co.—Life & Casualty.

Monday, February 24
Bruner Ivory—Kiwanis Club.

Gunter Bros.—Hempstead Co. Lbr.

Co.

Tuesday, February 25
Standard Oil Co.—Kraft Cheese.

Geo. W. Robison—Brookwood Gro.

Thursday, February 27
Basket Co.—Life & Casualty.

M'System—American Legion.

Friday, February 28
Ritchie Gro.—Rotary.

Woodman of World—SCS.

Monday, March 3
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Friday, March 28
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Hempstead Co. Lbr. Co.—American Legion.

Monday, March 31
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Bruner Ivory—Rotary.

Tuesday, April 1
Standard Oil Co.—Hemp. Co. Lbr.

Co.

Thursday, April 3
Woodman of World—M'System.

Basket Co.—Ritchie Gro.

Friday, April 4
SCS—Life & Casualty.

Brookwood Gro.—Kiwanis Club.

Monday, April 7
Bruner Ivory—Standard Oil.

Geo. W. Robison Co.—Gunter Bros.

Tuesday, April 8
American Legion—Life & Casualty.

Ritchie Gro.—Kraft Cheese.

ers will probably find that an "in" pitch on the thumb hole will be more satisfactory unless they have very strong thumbs.

The best course is to consult a man who understands drilling. He will be able to fit your hand perfectly.

Little Missouri Dam Possibility

Correspondence Between Reps. Harris and Ellis

The following correspondence regarding the possibility of a power dam and reservoir on the Little Missouri river in connection with the proposed federal Arkansas Valley Authority was disclosed to The Star by Congressman Oren Harris, writing from Washington.

January 9, 1941
Honorable Clyde T. Ellis
House Office Building
Washington, D. C.

Dear Clyde:

After receiving your letter, and a copy of your proposed Bill for the improvement of navigation and control of floods on the drainage basins of rivers and their tributaries of Arkansas known as the Arkansas Valley Authority Act, I have carefully made a study of the bill and suggestions which I think are important to be included in the original draft.

I want to express to you on my behalf, and for the citizenship of South Arkansas, for your cooperation at my suggestion in including in the Bill, along with the authority for the construction of a dam across White River at Bull Shoals, and Table Rock, the construction of a dam at Narrows above Murfreesboro, on the Little Missouri River, a tributary of the Ouachita River, which in turn, is a tributary of the Red River. This definitely established the fact that the Ouachita River basin and its tributaries will be a part of the Bill.

Also, it has been recommended by the Secretary of War and the Chief of Engineers in House Document 831, Third Session, and should be constructed at the earliest possible time.

I am extremely anxious for the Little Missouri River basin to be carried forward to completion according to the recommendation calling for constructing of the Narrows reservoir and power plant, together with the improvement of the channels of the Little Missouri River, Terre Noire creek, and Ozan creek, since it means

so much to the people of that section of our state.

Thank you very much for including it in the project, and assuring you of my cooperation, I am,

Sincerely yours,

Oren Harris, M. C.

7th Dist., Arkansas.

January 9, 1941
Honorable Oren Harris, M. C.
House Office Building
Washington, D. C.
Dear Oren:

I appreciate very much your letter of January 9th in which you express appreciation for our decision to place the Narrows Dam on the Little Missouri near Murfreesboro in the proposed Arkansas Valley Authority bill for immediate authorization.

I appreciate your serious study and constructive criticism of the proposed bill and I can assure you that we are happy to include this project. I have received a great many letters from the region of the Ouachita and its tributaries, inquiring whether it is in the bill. The inclusion of the Narrows Dam will definitely clear that up. Since the Ouachita is a tributary of the Red, it wasn't mentioned specifically.

Looking forward to your valued assistance in this great basin control program, I am, with highest personal regards and best wishes,

Yours sincerely,

Clyde T. Ellis

German Chemists Make Perfume From Tobacco Blossoms

BERLIN—Tobacco blossoms are the source of a new German perfume, with a scent of combined hyacinths and carnations.

Professor Dr. Koenig, director of the German tobacco Research Institute, reports it is likely the new product will develop industrial uses. It has been produced through work of both botanists and chemists.

Professor Koenig discloses also that the institute has extracted an edible oil from tobacco seed. It has the flavor of peanut oil. An oil cake is made from the seed, too.

German scientists have produced a tobacco which has only one-tenth of one per cent nicotine. About 3,000,000 pounds was harvested in 1939.

Army on Wheels



Scenes from "Army on Wheels," first official sound motion picture of U. S. Army mechanized forces in defense maneuvers. The film was produced by the truck division,

Dodge Brothers Corporation, in cooperation with the War Department. Popularity of the film has been increased by the Selective Service Program.

Chrysler Corp. Has Army Film

'Army on Wheels' First Picture of U. S. Defense

"Army on Wheels," first official sound motion picture of U. S. Army mechanized forces in defense maneuvers, produced by the truck division, Dodge Brothers Corporation, in cooperation with the War Department is proving to be one of the most popular non-commercial type films ever produced by the corporation, according to E. J. Poag, assistant general sales manager.

"With thousands of young men joining the military forces in training camps throughout the country, interest in training activities depicted in the film mounts daily among their friends and relatives at home," said Mr. Poag.

"Operations of practically every branch of the Army in the field are shown. Tanks go lunging at high speeds over rough ground. Sturdy trucks transport an entire army, guns, airplanes, troops. Anti-aircraft equipment of all kinds is shown in action.

"Leading patriots and prominent persons in all walks of life have pronounced this an outstanding educational and inspirational film," he said.

Nevada County Woman Dies

Mrs. Fay Biddle Succumbs at Home in Prescott

PRESCOTT, Ark.—Mrs. Fay Biddle, 25, died at her home in Prescott early Monday night. Funeral services will be held at Mt. Moriah at 2 o'clock Tuesday. Burial will be in Mt. Moriah cemetery.

She is survived by her husband; her father, Sam Mason of Rosston, and two brothers and two sisters, all of Nevada county.

Adkins Warns

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economic administration. Declaring for a balanced budget, he said "There must be some way found to prevent the appropriation of more money than is gathered by taxation." He warned, however, against seeking to economize by cutting salaries "to the point where any department will not operate efficiently."

"I want to assure you," he said, "that every department head under my control will be admonished to economize where economy is needed, and to work diligently. Those charged with collecting taxes will be instructed to do so without discrimination, fear or favor."

Hope Cagers to Play Patmos

Hot Springs Trojans to Come Here Friday Night

The Hope High School Basketball team will play Patmos a doubleheader here Tuesday night according to Coach Fay Hammans.

Patmos is reported to have the best team in several years and a hard battle is predicted. The first game Tuesday will begin promptly at 7:30 and admission is 5 and 15 cents. Yocom will referee.

Friday night the Hot Springs Trojans will come to Hope for a conference game with the Bobcats and Saturday the local lads will go to the Spa city for a return game.

Blocked Pass? "Were you ever bothered with athlete's foot?"

"Yes, once when the captain of the football team caught me with his

Further Plans

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Major Harris is familiar with this site and says that in his opinion it is the best in Hope.

Funds for Armory construction have been coming from a one per cent tax levied in 1939 on "breaks" on horse racing. The racing meet is almost here and funds will be available to build an armory at Hope and one elsewhere, which is understood to be at Philadelphia, right away. In addition to this, since the Adjutant General of the Military Department has been taken into Federal service and paid by the Federal Government, that money is being saved by the State and we hope will also go into the armory building fund. If that continues during the next year or two we ought to be able to get enough money to build a dozen more armories in Arkansas, all of which are badly needed.

Even with that number listed by the department as needed we stand at the head of the list as the next to be served, and all we have to do is to furnish a site and get the WPA to cooperate, a matter that won't be difficult to do.

Placing the Responsibility An angry woman rushed into the clerk's office. In her hand she bore a license. To the clerk she said: "Did you or did you not, issue this license for marrying me to Albert Briggs?"

"Yes, I believe I did. Why?"

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Presbyterian Men of Church to Meet

The monthly supper of the Pres-

byterian Men of Church will be held Tuesday night. The men are asked to assemble in the auditorium at 7 o'clock. A good program has been planned and all men are urged to attend.

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Senate Scorns Calm Opening

Opening of Congress, Dramatic But Flop

By JACK STINNETT

WASHINGTON — The opening of Congress, as a dramatic spectacle, ordinarily dull matter in which certain dull traditions are observed without any training for pomp.

The House of Representatives meets, answers roll call, elects a Speaker (Sam Rayburn of Texas this time), gets sworn in en masse (unless there is someone whose credentials are challenged), appoints a committee of three to notify the President that Congress now is in session and ready to receive any communication he desires to pass along.

The Senate meets, answers roll call, swears in the new members in blocks of four, appoints a committee of two to notify the President.

The five committee members from the two houses meet in the cloakroom, shake hands around, perhaps have a cup of coffee and then go back to their respective hills to report that the President has been duly notified. (He hasn't of course, but the custom is a hangover from pre-telephone days when the boys had to take to horse and splash through the mud to the White House, or else the President might not have known for days but that the gentlemen were up on the Hill fighting a mass duel.)

When the 77th Congress convened, the House ran off its routine on schedule, except for the big parade to the hopper where the members drop their proposed bills. Before the gavel fell, one hour and 56 minutes after convening, the boys in the House had poured approximately 1,000 bills and resolutions into the hopper.

Over in the Senate, however, more than one of the members must have been bored with the lack of excitement on opening day. Or maybe it was because the spiderweb of steel rafters recently installed to bolster the chamber roof lent an air of strangeness and unreality that had the gentlemen jumpy. At any rate, in the 33 minutes that the Senate was in session plenty happened.

In the first place, 74-year-old Sen. Hiram Johnson of California, re-elected on an all-party ticket, let it be known that he would have none of this business of being escorted down the aisle by his state colleague to take the oath of office. One of the Senate's oldest customs is that the incoming senator shall be escorted to the Senate president's platform to take the oath. When Sen. Sheridan Downey, California Democrat, stepped up to accompany Senator Johnson, the latter declined, and firmly. It was reported, how authentically I do not know, that the Senate veteran pro-

tested that it was a silly custom and that he was perfectly capable of walking up the aisle alone. It was the fifth time Senator Johnson had taken the trip, the first time he had taken it alone.

Custom went to pieces again when ex-Sen. William H. King, of Utah, kept his seat and calmly read the Congressional Record while his successor, Sen. Abe Murdock, was being sworn in. According to Senate rules, Senator King, being a former member, has the privilege of being on the floor whenever he pleases, but capitol veterans said it was the first time in memory that any outgoing senator had kept his seat while his successor was being given the oath of office.

The real dramatic climax of the day, however, came when Sen. William Langer, North Dakota, stood up to take the oath and Senator Barkley, majority leader, interposed: "There have been filed with the Senate and I now have on my desk charges of various sorts from citizens of North Dakota objecting to administration of the oath of office to the Senator-elect, Mr. Langer. I have read these charges and affidavits, which, if true, are serious, and would seriously affect the qual-

ifications and fitness of the Senator-elect to become a member of this body."

It was about that time that you could have heard the proverbial pin crash to the floor. But the Senate beat the problem in short order. After assuring the Senator-elect that the Privileges and Elections committee would give speedy consideration to the matter, the body agreed to let Mr. Langer take his oath "without prejudice to the Senator and without prejudice to the rights of the Senate."

Of such stuff is Senate history made.

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